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1 Important safety instructions

Power requirements

- This product requires an electrical supply of 100-240 volts AC. In case of power failure, the communication can be lost.
- The voltage on the network is classified as TNV-3 (Telecommunication Network Voltages), as defined in the standard EN 60950.

Warning

- The Electrical network is classified as hazardous. The only way to power down the charger is to unplug the power supply from the electrical outlet. Ensure that the electrical outlet is always easily accessible.

To avoid damage or malfunction

Caution

- Use only the power supply listed in the user instructions.
- Use only the batteries listed in the user instructions.
- Risk of explosion if battery is replaced by an incorrect type.
- Dispose of used batteries according to the instructions.
- Always use the cables provided with the product.
- Do not allow the charging contacts or the battery to come into contact with metal objects.
- Do not let small metal objects come into contact with the product. This can deteriorate audio quality and damage the product.
- Metallic objects may be retained if placed near or on the handset receiver.
- Do not use the product in places where there are explosive hazards.
- Do not open the handset, base station or charger as you could be exposed to high voltages.
- For pluggable equipment, the socket-outlet shall be installed near the equipment and shall be easily accessible.
- Handsfree activation could suddenly increase the volume in the earpiece to a very high level: make sure the handset is not too close to your ear.
- This equipment is not designed to make emergency calls when the power fails. An alternative has to be made available to allow emergency calls.
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- Do not allow the product to come into contact with liquids.
- Do not use any cleaning agents containing alcohol, ammonia, benzene, or abrasives as these may harm the set.
- Do not expose the phone to excessive heat caused by heating equipment or direct sunlight.
- Do not drop your phone or allow objects to fall on your phone.
- Active mobile phones in the vicinity may cause interference.

When using the phone as a baby monitor

Caution

- Children should be supervised to ensure that they do not play with the appliance.
- Make sure the baby unit and the cord are always out of reach of the baby (at least 1 metre/3 feet away).
- Keep the parent unit at least 1.5 metres/5 feet away from the baby unit to prevent acoustic feedback.
- Never place the baby unit inside the baby's bed or playpen.
- Never cover the parent unit and the baby unit with anything (e.g. a towel or blanket). Always make sure the cooling vents of the baby unit are free.
- Take every precaution to make sure that your baby can sleep safely .
- This appliance is not intended for use by persons (including children) with reduced physical, sensory or mental capabilities, or lack of experience and knowledge, unless they have been given supervision or instruction concerning use of the appliance by a person responsible for their safety.
- If you place the parent unit next to a transmitter or other DECT appliance (e.g. a DECT telephone or wireless router for the internet), the connection with the baby unit may be lost. Move the baby monitor further away from the other wireless appliances until the connection is restored.
- This baby monitor is intended as an aid. It is not a substitute for responsible and proper adult supervision and should not be used as such.

About operating and storage temperatures

- Operate in a place where temperature is always between 0°C to +40°C (up to 90% relative humidity).
- Store in a place where temperature is always between -20°C and +45°C (up to 95% relative humidity).
- Battery life may be shorter in low temperature conditions.

2 Your phone

Congratulations on your purchase and welcome to Philips! The Philips S8A provides the superior sound quality of **HQ-Sound** and the ultimate convenience of **MobileLink**. It allows you to make and receive all calls - landline and mobile - on your home phone and easily download your mobile's phonebook.
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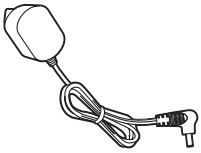
What is in the box

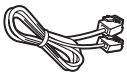
Base station

Handset**

Charger**



Power adapter**



Line cord*

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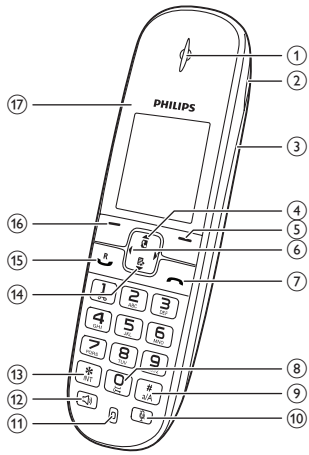
Note

- * In some countries, you have to connect the line adapter to the line cord, then plug the line cord to the telephone socket.

Note

- ** In multi-handset packs, there are additional handsets, chargers and power adapters.

Overview of the phone



① Earpiece

② Loudspeaker

③ Battery door

④
- Scroll up on the menu.
- Increase the earpiece/speaker volume.
- Access the phonebook.

⑤
- Delete text or digits.
- Cancel operation.
- Enter the redial list

⑥ ◀ / ▶
Move the cursor to the left or right in editing mode.

⑦
- End the call.
- Exit the menu/operation.

⑧ 0
- Press to enter a space during text editing.
- Press and hold to lock the keypad.

⑨ #
a/A
- Make a predial call.
- Press and hold to enter a pause.
- Switch to upper/lower case during editing.

⑩
Mute or unmute the microphone.

⑪ Microphone

⑫
- Turn the speaker phone is on/off.
- Make and receive calls through the speaker.

⑬ *
INT
Press and hold to make an intercom call (for multi handset version only).

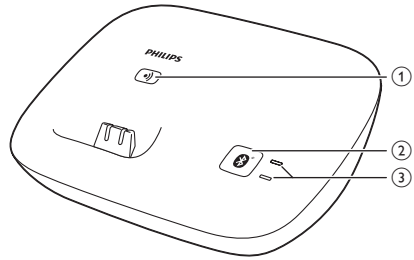
⑭
- Scroll down on the menu.
- Decrease the earpiece/speaker volume.
- Access the call log.

⑮
- Make and receive calls.
- Recall key

⑯
- Access the main menu.
- Confirm selection.
- Enter the options menu.
- Select the function displayed on the handset screen directly above the key.

⑰ LED light

Overview of the base station



①

- Find handsets.
- Enter registration mode.

②
Press and hold to start pairing the landline phone with your mobile phone with Bluetooth.

③ **Bluetooth LEDs**
Off: no mobile phone is available.
On: there is mobile phone available for Bluetooth connection.
Flashing: the mobile phone is in use with Bluetooth connection.

3 Main menu icons

The following is an overview of the menu options that are available in your S8A. For detailed explanation of the menu options, see the corresponding sections in this user manual.

Icon	Descriptions
	[Phone setup] - Set the date and time, sounds, ECO mode, phone name and display language.
	[Services] - Set the auto conference, auto prefix, network type, recall time, auto clock, call services etc. The services are network and country dependent.
	[Phonebook] - Add, edit, manage phonebook entries etc.
	[Bluetooth] - Pair the mobile phones, download the mobile's phonebook.
	[Baby monitor] - Set the alert to other handsets and the baby cry level.
	[Answer machine] - Setup, listen to, delete phone messages, etc.

4 Display icons

In standby mode, the icons shown on the main screen tell you what features are available on your handset.

Icon	Descriptions
	When the handset is off the base station/charger, the bars indicate the battery level (from full to low). When the handset is on the base station/charger, the bars keep scrolling until charging is complete.
	The empty battery icon flashes and you hear an alert tone. The battery is low and needs recharging.
	The number of bars indicates the connection status between the handset and base station. The more bars are shown, the better the signal strength is.
	It is red on the standby screen when there is a new missed call. It is red in the incoming call list when there is an unread missed call. It is green in the incoming call list when there is a read missed call.
	The speaker is on.
	It is displayed when the silent mode is activated or during the preset time for the silent mode.
	It is displayed when the ringer is off or when the silent mode is activated.
	The alarm is activated.
	Answering machine: it flashes when there is a new message. It displays when the telephone answering machine is turned on.
	It flashes when there is a new voice message. It remains steadily on when the voice messages are already viewed in the call log. The icon is not shown when there is no voice message.
1 2	The Bluetooth function is activated. Number '1' indicates mobile 1 while '2' indicates mobile 2 in the active list of bluetooth device. Gray color means the device is added in the active list but is out of range or not available. Blank color means the corresponding active list has no device added.
	It is displayed when the baby unit is set up.
ECO	The **ECO** mode is activated.

5 Get started

Caution

- Make sure that you have read the safety instructions in the 'Important safety instructions' section before you connect and install your handset.

Connect the base station

Warning

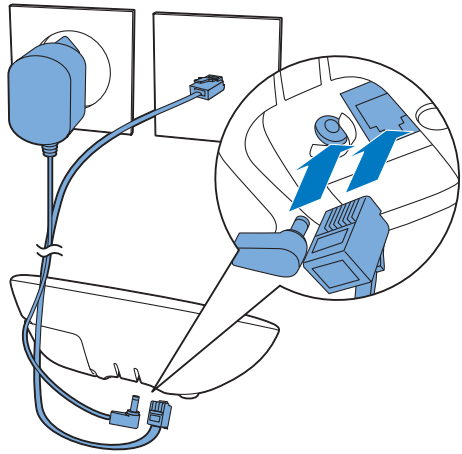
- Risk of product damage! Make sure that the power supply voltage corresponds to the voltage printed on the back or underside of the phone.
- Use only the supplied power adapter to charge the batteries.

Note

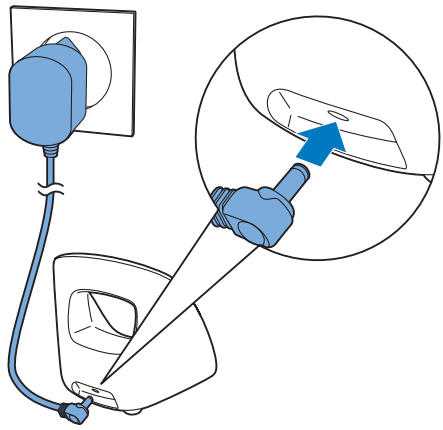
- If you subscribe to the digital subscriber line (DSL) high speed internet service through your telephone line, ensure you install a DSL filter between the telephone line cord and the power socket. The filter prevents noise and caller ID problems caused by DSL interference. For further information on DSL filters, contact your DSL service provider.
- The type plate is located on the bottom of the base station.

1 Connect each end of the power adapter to:
   - the DC input jack at the bottom of the base station;
   - the power socket on the wall.

2 Connect each end of the line cord to:
   - the telephone socket at the bottom of the base station;
   - the telephone socket on the wall.

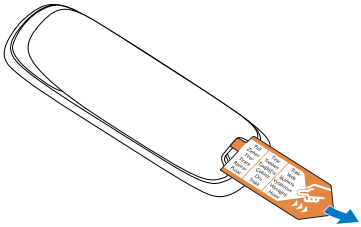


3 Connect each end of the power adapter to (for multi handset versions only):
   - the DC input jack at the back of the extra handset charger.
   - the power socket on the wall.



Install the handset

The batteries are pre-installed in the handset. Pull the battery tape off from the battery door before charging.



Caution

- Risk of explosion! Keep batteries away from heat, sunshine or fire. Never discard batteries in fire.
- Use only the supplied batteries.
- Risk of decreased battery life! Never mix different brands or types of batteries.

Note

- Charge the batteries for 8 hours before first use.
- If the handset becomes warm when the batteries are charging, it is normal.

Warning

- Check the battery polarity when inserting in the battery compartment. Incorrect polarity may damage the product.

Configure your phone (country dependent)

1 When using your phone for the first time, you see a welcome message.

2 Press **[OK]**.

Set the country/language

Select your country/language, then press **[OK]** to confirm.

↳ The country/language setting is saved.

Note

- The country/language setting option is country dependent. If no welcome message is displayed, it means the country/language setting is preset for your country. Then you can set the date and time.

To re-set the language, see the following steps.

1 Select **[Menu]** > ⚙ > **[Language]**, then press **[OK]** to confirm.

2 Select a language, then press **[OK]** to confirm.

↳ The setting is saved.

Set the date and time

1 Select **[Menu]** > ⚙ > **[Date & time]**, then press **[OK]** to confirm.

2 Select **[Set date]**/**[Set time]**, then press **[OK]** to confirm.

3 Press the numeric buttons to enter the date and time.

Note

- If the time is in 12-hour format, press * INT to select **[am]** or **[pm]** (Country dependent).

4 Press **[OK]** to confirm.

Set the date and time format

1 Select **[Menu]** > ⚙ > **[Date & time]**, then press **[OK]** to confirm.

2 Select **[Date format]** or **[Time format]**.

3 Press ▲ / ▼ to select **[DD-MM-YYYY]** or **[MM-DD-YYYY]** as the date display, and **[12 Hours]** or **[24 Hours]** as the time display. Then press **[OK]** to confirm.

↳ The setting is saved.

Note

- The date and time format setting is country dependent.

Change the remote access PIN/passcode

Note

- The default answering machine remote access PIN/passcode is 0000 and it is important to change it to ensure the security.

1. Select **[Menu]** > ☎ > **[Remote access]** > **[Change PIN]**, then press **[OK]** to confirm.
2. Enter the old PIN/passcode, then press **[OK]** to confirm.
3. Enter the new PIN/passcode, then press **[OK]** to confirm.
4. Enter the new PIN/passcode again, then press **[OK]** to confirm.
   ↳ The setting is saved.

Charge the handset

Place the handset on the base station to charge the handset. When the handset is placed correctly on the base station, you hear a docking tone (see 'Set the docking tone' on page 30).

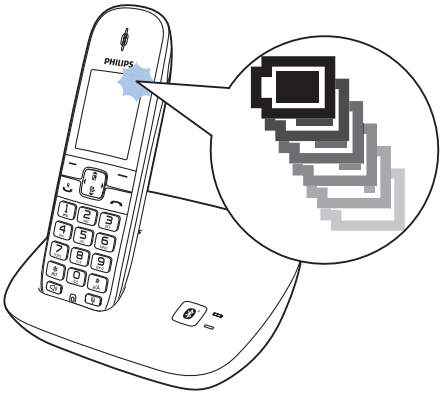
↳ The handset starts charging.

Note

- Charge the batteries for 8 hours before first use.
- If the handset becomes warm when the batteries are being charged, it is normal.
- Over time, capacity of batteries decreases. This is a normal battery behavior.

Your phone is now ready to use.

Check the battery level



The battery icon displays the current battery level.

	When the handset is off the base station/charger, the bars indicate the battery level (from full to low). When the handset is on the base station/charger, the bars flash until charging is complete.
	The empty battery icon flashes. The battery is low and needs recharging.

If you are on the phone, you hear warning tones when the batteries are almost empty. The handset turns off when the batteries are completely empty.

What is standby mode?

Your phone is in standby mode when it is idle. When the handset is off the charging cradle, the standby screen displays the date and time. When the handset is on the charging cradle, the standby screen displays the time as a screen saver.

Check the signal strength

	The number of bars indicates the connection status between the handset and base station. The more bars are shown, the better the connection is.

- Make sure the handset is connected to the base station before you make or receive calls and carry out the functions and features.
- If you hear warning tones when you are on the phone, the handset is almost out of battery or the handset is out of range. Charge the battery or move the handset close to the base station.

6 Bluetooth

S8A supports Bluetooth wireless technology. You can connect it to a mobile phone which is Bluetooth compatible. Then you can make and receive calls and download the phonebook from your mobile phone with the S8A handset.

Note

- Make sure that the mobile phone with which you establish a connection supports the Bluetooth function.
- The Bluetooth connection is subject to interference from obstructions such as walls or other electronic devices.

Pair S8A with your mobile phones

Make sure the Bluetooth function of the mobile phones is activated and in searching status. Then you can do the pairing in this way:

1 Select **[Menu]** > ✱ > **[Find Me]**.

2 Place the mobile phone close to the base station, then press **[OK]** to confirm.
   ↳ The mobile phone name is displayed on the screen.

3 On the mobile phone, select S8A and connect.

4 Enter the PIN/passcode on the mobile phone, if necessary.

Tip

- The default PIN/passcode is 0000.

   ↳ When S8A and the mobile phone are paired, ✱12 or ✱12 is displayed on the screen.

Note

- When the Bluetooth device list is full, remove some mobile phone names before pairing can start.
- If the name of S8A exists in your mobile phone, you have to remove it from your mobile phone. Then you can do the pairing again.
- When pairing is successful, you can add the new mobile phone name to the active list. Remove some mobile phone names if the active list is full. See 'Manage the mobile phones list' in this chapter for information.

Synchronize the phonebook

Download the phonebook from the mobile phones

1 Make sure that the mobile phone is already connected to S8A with Bluetooth.

2 Select **[Menu]** > ✱ > **[Mobile setting]**.

3 Select a mobile phone, then press **[OK]** to confirm.

4 Select **[Phonebook]** to download the phonebook, then press **[OK]** to confirm.
   ↳ The phonebook from the mobile phone is updated on the base station.

Note

- After the update is complete, the new phonebook overwrites the old one.
- If there is an incoming call when phonebook update is in progress, the update is suspended and resumes after the call ends.

Set the mobile's phonebook to privacy mode

You can set whether the mobile's phonebook is available for viewing.

1 Select **[Menu]** > ✱ > **[Mobile setting]**.

2 Select a mobile phone, then press **[OK]** to confirm.

3 Select **[Privacy mode]**, then press **[OK]** to confirm.

4 You can select among these 3 options:
- **[Off]** : no PIN/passcode is required to access the mobile's phonebook which is always available for viewing.
- **[Auto range]** : no PIN/passcode is required to access the mobile's phonebook which is available for viewing only when the mobile phone is within the Bluetooth range.
- **[PIN]** : follow the on-screen instruction to activate or change the PIN/passcode.

Note

- After turning **[Auto range]** off, your contacts are visible without PIN, even if the phone is not connected. Make sure you either delete the phonebook or enable PIN protection if you want to continue to have privacy protection of your contacts.

Manage the mobile phones list

You can manage your mobile phones list in this way:

1 Select **[Menu]** > ✱ > **[Device list]**, then press **[OK]** to confirm.
↳ The mobile phones list is displayed.

2 Select a mobile phone, press **[Option]**.

3 Select **[Connect]**/**[Disconnect]**/**[Delete]**/**[Delete all]**, then press **[OK]** to confirm.

Note

- You can see **[Disconnect]** in the option list only when the mobile phone is connected; and **[Connect]** only when the mobile phone is disconnected.

Connect/Disconnect the mobile phone

1 Select **[Menu]** > ✱ > **[Device list]**, the press **[OK]** to confirm.
↳ The mobile phones list is displayed.

2 Select a mobile phone, press **[Option]**.

3 Select **[Connect]**/**[Disconnect]**, then press **[OK]** to confirm.
↳ The selected mobile phone is connected to/disconnect from Bluetooth.

Delete a device/Delete all devices on the list

1 Select **[Menu]** > ✱ > **[Device list]**, then press **[OK]** to confirm.
↳ The mobile phones list is displayed.

2 Select a mobile phone, press **[Option]**.

3 Select **[Delete]**/**[Delete all]**, then press **[OK]** to confirm.

Note

- If you select to delete all mobile phones on the list, a confirmation message is displayed. Press **[OK]** to confirm.

Change the PIN/passcode

1 Select **[Menu]** > ✱ > **[Change PIN]**, then press **[OK]** to confirm.

2 Press **[Clear]** to remove the current PIN/passcode to confirm.

3 Enter the new PIN/passcode, then press **[OK]** to confirm.
↳ The new PIN/passcode is saved.

Recover the PIN/passcode

If you forget the PIN/passcode, refer to the following instructions:

1. Access **[Menu]** > ✱ > **[Device list]**, then press **[OK]** to confirm.
2. Select a mobile phone, then press **[Option]**.
3. Select **[Delete]**, then press **[OK]** to confirm.
   ↳ The mobile phone is removed from the device list.
4. Pair S8A with the mobile phone again (see 'Pair S8A with your mobile phones' on page 13).
5. Access **[Menu]** > ✱ > **[Mobile setting]**, press **[OK]** to confirm.
6. Select **[Privacy mode]**, then press **[OK]** to confirm.
7. Select **[PIN]**, then follow the on-screen instruction to activate or change the PIN/passcode.

Rename your device

The name of your phone is S8A by default. You can rename it in this way:

1. Select **[Menu]** > ✱ > **[Rename Me]**, then press **[OK]** to confirm.
2. Edit the name, then press **[Save]** to confirm.

7 Calls

Note

- When the power fails, the phone cannot access emergency services.

Tip

- Check the signal strength before you make a call or when you are in a call (see 'Check the signal strength' on page 12).

Make a call

You can make a call in these ways:

- Normal call
- Predial call
- Call through the speed dial key

You can also make a call from the redial list (see 'Redial a call' on page 28), phonebook list (see 'Call from the phonebook' on page 24) and call log (see 'Return a call' on page 26).

Normal call

1 Press or .

2 Dial the phone number.
   ↳ The number is dialed out.
   ↳ The duration of your current call is displayed.

Note

- Make sure that the line settings are set to **[Home]** for the landline. For information, see chapter 'Phone settings', section 'Line settings'.

Tip

- If you select **[Auto]** on the handset, the idle line is pre-selected for an outgoing call, with **[Home]** as the highest priority, then **[Mobile 1]** and **[Mobile 2]**. If you select **[Manual]**, select an icon among these three options.

Predial call

1 Dial the phone number
   - To erase a digit, press **[Clear]**.
   - To enter a pause, press and hold #.

2 Press / to select the landline or mobile line (/ /) from which you want to make an outgoing call.

3 Press or to dial out the call.

Note

- Make sure that the Line settings are set to **[Home]** for the landline or **[Mobile 1]**/**[Mobile 2]** for mobile line. For information, see chapter 'Phone settings', section 'Line settings'.

Tip

- If you select **[Auto]** on the handset, the idle line is pre-selected for an outgoing call, with **[Home]** as the highest priority, then **[Mobile 1]** and **[Mobile 2]**. If you select **[Manual]**, select an icon among these three options.

Call through the speed dial key

You can assign and save the number of your contact to a key (see 'Set the speed dial keys' on page 24). Then you can press and hold on the key in standby mode to dial the saved phone number automatically.

Note

- The call timer displays the talk time of your current call.
- If you hear warning tones, the phone is almost out of battery or out of range. Charge the battery or move the phone close to the base station.

Answer a call

When there is an incoming call from the landline or mobile line, you can select from the following options:

- press or to answer the call.
- select **[Divert]** to send incoming call to the answering machine.
- select **[Silent]** to turn off the ringer of the current incoming call.

When there are incoming calls from the landline and mobile line at the same time, press / on the handset to select a call, then, press or to answer the call.

Warning

- When the handset rings or when the handsfree is activated, keep the handset away from your ear to avoid ear damage.

Note

- If you have subscribed for a caller ID service with the service provider, you will see the caller number displayed on the handset. If the number is saved in the phonebook, the name will be displayed.

Tip

- When there is a missed call, a notification message is displayed.

End a call

You can end a call in these ways:

- Press ; or
- Place the handset to the base station or charging cradle.

Adjust the earpiece/speaker volume

Press / on the handset to adjust the volume during a call.

↳ The earpiece/speaker volume is adjusted and the phone is back to the call screen.

Mute the microphone

1 Press during a call.
↳ The handset displays **[Mute on]**.
↳ The caller cannot hear you, but you can still hear his voice.

2 Press again to unmute the microphone.
↳ You can now communicate with the caller.

Turn the speaker on or off

Press .

Make a second call

Note

- This service is network dependent.

1 Press during a call.
↳ The first call is put on hold.

2 Dial the second number.
↳ The number displayed on the screen is dialed out.

Make a second call with the landline/mobile line

When you are in a call with the landline/mobile line, you can also make a second call through the other line (mobile line/landline).

1. Press **[Option]**, then select to switch to the line which you want to make a second call .
   ↳ The first call is on hold.
2. To switch or exit the calls from the landline and/or mobile line, select from **[Option]** menu.

Answer a second call

Note

- This service is network dependent.

When there is a periodical beep to notify you of an incoming call, you can answer the call in these ways:

1. Press and 2 to answer the call.
   ↳ The first call is put on hold, and you are now connected to the second call.
2. Press and 1 to end the current call and answer the first call.

Answer a second call with the landline or mobile line

When you are in a call with the landline/mobile line, you can also answer a second call through the other line (mobile line/landline).

1. Press **[Option]**, then select to switch to the line which you answer a second call .
   ↳ The first call is on hold.
2. To switch or exit the calls from the landline and/or mobile line, select from **[Option]** menu.

Switch between two calls

You can switch your calls in these ways:

- Press and 2 ; or
- Press **[Option]** and select **[Switch calls]**, then press **[OK]** again to confirm.
  ↳ The current call is put on hold, and you are now connected to the other call.

Switch between two calls on the landline and mobile line

You can switch the calls between the landline and mobile line.

1. Make an outgoing call with the land line.
2. When there is an incoming call from the mobile line, press **[Option]**, then select a mobile phone to answer the call.
   ↳ The call from the landline is on hold.
3. To switch or exit the calls from the landline and/or mobile line, select from **[Option]** menu.

Note

- For some mobile phones, when you pick up the call from the mobile phone, the Bluetooth is disconnected. For further information, check with the mobile phone dealer.

Make a conference call with the external callers

Note

- This service is network dependent. Check with the service provider for additional charges.

When you are connected to two calls, you can make a conference call in these ways:

- Press , then 3 ; or

- Press **[Option]**, select **[Conference]** and then press **[OK]** again to confirm.
  ↳ The two calls are combined and a conference call is established.

Make a conference call on the landline and mobile line

You can make a two-line conference call through the landline and mobile line.

1. Make an outgoing call with the landline.
2. When there is an incoming from the mobile line, press **[Option]** , then select a mobile phone to answer the call.
   ↳ The call from the landline is on hold.
3. Press **[Option]** to access the menu.
4. Select **[2 lines conf.]** to start a conference call with the landline and mobile line.
5. To switch or exit the calls from the landline and/or mobile line, select from **[Option]** menu.

8 Intercom and conference calls

An intercom call is a call to another handset that shares the same base station. A conference call involves a conversation between you, another handset user and the outside callers.

Make a call to another handset

Note

- If the base station only has 2 registered handsets, press and hold ✻ INT to make a call to another handset.

1 Press and hold ✻ INT.
   ↳ The handsets available for intercom are displayed.

2 Select a handset number, then press **[OK]** to confirm.
   ↳ The selected handset rings.

3 Press R on the selected handset.
   ↳ The intercom is established.

4 Press **[Cancel]** or ⌒ to cancel or end the intercom call.

Note

- If the selected handset is busy, **[Busy]** is displayed on the handset screen.

While you are on the phone

You can go from one handset to another during a call:

1 Press and hold ✻ INT.
   ↳ The current caller is put on hold.

2 Select a handset number, then press **[OK]** to confirm.
   ↳ Wait for the other side to answer your call.

Switch between calls

Press **[Extern]** to switch between the outside call and the intercom call.

Transfer a call

Note

- If the base station only has 2 registered handsets, press and hold ✻ INT to transfer a call to another handset.

1 Press and hold ✻ INT during a call.
   ↳ The handsets available for intercom are displayed.

2 Select a handset number, then press **[OK]** to confirm.
   ↳ The selected handset rings.

3 Press ⌒ when the other side answers your call.
   ↳ The call is now transferred to the selected handset.

Make a conference call

A 3-way conference call is between you, another handset user and the outside callers. It requires two handsets to share the same base station.

During an external call

1 Press and hold ✻ INT to initiate an internal call.
   ↳ The external caller is put on hold.
   ↳ For multi-handset versions, The handsets available for intercom are displayed. Then go to step 2.
   ↳ For two-handset versions, the other handset rings. Then go to step 3.

2 Select or enter a handset number, then press **[OK]** to confirm.
↳ The selected handset rings.

3 Press R on the selected handset.
↳ The intercom is established.

4 Press **[Conf]**.
↳ You are now in a 3-way conference call with an external call and a selected handset.

5 Press to end the conference call.

Note

- Press R to join an ongoing conference with another handset if **[Services]** > **[Conference]** is set to **[Auto]**.

During the conference call

- Press **[Int.]** to put the external call on hold and go back to the internal call.
  ↳ The external call is put on hold.
- Press **[Conf]** to establish the conference call again.

Note

- If a handset hangs up during the conference call, the other handset remains connected to the external call.

9 Text and numbers

You can enter text and numbers for handset name, phonebook records, and other menu items.

Enter text and numbers

1. Press once or several times on the alphanumeric key to enter the selected character.
2. Press **[Clear]** to delete the character. Press ◀ / ▶ to move the cursor left and right.
3. Press 0 to add a space.

Note

- For information on key mapping of characters and numbers, see the chapter 'Appendix'.

Switch between uppercase and lowercase

By default, the first letter of each word in a sentence is uppercase and the rest is lowercase. Press # to switch between the uppercase and lowercase letters.

10 Phonebook

This phone has a phonebook that stores up to 200 contacts entered on the phone, as well as up to 500 contacts for each mobile phone connected. Each record can have a name up to 32 characters long and a number up to 32 digits long.
You can access the phonebook from the handset. The base station can maintain multiple phonebook directories and can transfer the phonebook from two mobile phones. You can access any phonebook entry and use that entry to make a call on the landline or either of the two mobile phones.

Access the phonebook directories

1 Press or select **[Menu]** > > **[OK]** to on the handset to access the phonebook directories.
2 Select to view a phonebook directory.

Note

- To view the mobile's phonebook, make sure that the mobile phone is already connected to S8A with Bluetooth.

Direct access memory

There are 2 direct access memories (keys 1 and 2). Depending on your country, keys 1 and 2 are preset to the voice mail number and information service number of your service provider respectively. When you press and hold on the key in standby mode , the saved phone number is dialed automatically.

View the phonebook

Note

- You can view the phonebook on one handset only each time.

1 Press or select **[Menu]** > > **[OK]** to access the phonebook list.
2 Press / to scroll through the phonebook entries.

Download the phonebook from the mobile phone

Tip

- For information, see the chapter 'Bluetooth', section 'Synchronize the phonebook'.

Search a record

You can search the phonebook records in these ways:

- Scroll the contact list.
- Enter the first character of the contact.

Scroll the contact list

1 Press or select **[Menu]** > > **[OK]** to access the phonebook list.
2 Press / to scroll through the phonebook list.

Enter the first character of a contact

1 Press or select **[Menu]** > > **[OK]** to access the phonebook list.
2 Press the alphanumerical key that matches the character.

↳ The first record that starts with this character is displayed.

Call from the phonebook

1 Press or select **[Menu]** > > **[OK]** to access the phonebook directories.
2 Select to view a phonebook directory.
3 Select a contact in the phonebook list.
4 Press / to make the call.

Access the phonebook during a call

1 Press **[Option]** and select **[Phonebook]**.
2 Press **[OK]** to confirm.
3 Select a contact, press **[Option]**, then press **[View]** to view the number.

Add a record

1 Press or select **[Menu]** > to access the phonebook list.
2 Select **[Option]** > **[Add new]**, then press **[OK]** to confirm.
3 Enter the name, then press **[OK]** to confirm.
4 Enter the number, then press **[Save]** to confirm
↳ Your new record is saved.

Note

- If your phonebook memory is full, the handset displays a notification message. Delete some records to add new ones.
- The phonebook overwrites the old number with the new number.

Tip

- Press and hold #a/A to insert a pause.
- Press #a/A to switch between the uppercase and lowercase letters.
- Press **[Clear]** to delete the character. Press / to move the cursor left and right.

Edit a record

1 Press or select **[Menu]** > > **[Option]** > **[Edit]**, then press **[OK]** to confirm.
2 Edit the name, then press **[OK]** to confirm.
3 Edit the number, then press **[Save]** to confirm.
↳ The record is saved.

Set the personalized melody

You can personalize the melody played when someone in the phonebook calls you.

Note

- Make sure you have subscribed to caller identification before you use this feature.

1 Press or select **[Menu]** > , then press **[OK]** to confirm.
2 Select a contact, then press **[Option]** > **[Select melody]**, press **[OK]** to confirm.
↳ The melody is set.

Set the speed dial keys

You can assign and save the number of your contact to a key. Then you can press and hold on the key in standby mode to dial the saved phone number automatically.

1 Press or select **[Menu]** > , then press **[OK]** to confirm.
2 Select a contact, then press **[Option]** > **[Speed dial]**, then press **[OK]** to confirm.
3 Press / to select and assign the contact to an available location, then press **[OK]** to confirm.
↳ The speed dial key is set.

Delete a record

1 Press or select **[Menu]** > .
2 Select a contact, then select **[Option]** > **[Delete]**. Press **[OK]** to confirm.
↳ The handset displays a confirmation request.
3 Select **[OK]** to confirm.
↳ The record is deleted.

Delete all records

1 Press or select **[Menu]** > .
2 Select a contact, then select **[Option]** > **[Delete all]**.
3 Press **[OK]** to confirm.
↳ The handset displays a confirmation request.
4 Press **[OK]** to confirm.
↳ All records are deleted.

Add a contact to the exception list

You can select a contact to the exception list. When the contact who is added into the exception list calls you, the phone rings immediately even though you activate the silent mode.

1 Press or select **[Menu]** > .
2 Select a contact, then select **[Option]** > **[Set exception]**.
3 Press **[On]** to confirm.
↳ The setting is saved.

Tip

- For further information on how to set the silent mode and exclude the contacts from silent mode, see the chapter 'Phone settings', section 'Silent mode'.

11 Call log

The call log stores the call history of all missed or received calls. The incoming call history includes the name and number of the caller, call time, and date. This feature is available if you have registered to the caller ID service with your service provider.
Your phone can store up to 50 call records. The call log icon on the handset flashes to remind you of any unanswered calls. If the caller allows the display of his identity, you can view his name or number. The call records are displayed in chronological order with the most recent received call at the top of the list.

Note

- Make sure that the number in the call list is valid before you can call back directly from the call list.

The following icon shown on the screen informs you if you have missed calls.

	• It is red on the standby screen when there is a new missed call. • It is red in the incoming call list when there is an unread missed call. • It is green in the incoming call list when there is a read missed call.

Call list type

You can set if you can see all calls or missed calls from the call log.

Select the call list type

1 Select **[Menu]** > ☰ > **[Call list type]**, then press **[OK]** to confirm.

2 Select an option, then press **[OK]** to confirm.

View the call records

1 Press .
↳ The incoming call log is displayed.

2 Select **[Incoming calls]**.

3 Select a record, then select **[Option]** > **[View]** > **[OK]** to view the available information.

Note

- You can only view the call records from the landline.

Save a call record to the phonebook

1 Press .
↳ The incoming call log is displayed.

2 Select **[Incoming calls]**.

3 Select a record, then press **[Option]**.

4 Select **[Save number]**, then press **[OK]** to confirm.

5 Enter and edit the name, then press **[OK]** to confirm.

6 Enter and edit the number, then press **[Save]** to confirm.
↳ The record is saved.

Return a call

1 Press .
↳ The incoming call log is displayed.

2 Select **[Incoming calls]**.

3 Select a record on the list.

4 Press to make the call.

Delete a call record

1 Press .
↳ The incoming call log is displayed.
2 Select **[Incoming calls]**.
3 Select a record, then press **[Option]** to confirm.
4 Select **[Delete]**, then press **[OK]** to confirm
↳ The handset displays a confirmation requests.
5 Press **[OK]** to confirm.
↳ The record is deleted.

Delete all call records

1 Press .
↳ The incoming call log is displayed.
2 Select **[Incoming calls]**.
3 Select a record, then press **[Option]**.
4 Select **[Delete all]**, then press **[OK]** to confirm.
↳ The handset displays a confirmation request.
5 Press **[OK]** to confirm.
↳ All records are deleted.

12 Redial list

The redial list stores the call history of dialed calls. It includes the names and/or numbers you have called. This phone can store up to 20 redial records.

View the redial records

Press **[Redial]**.
↳ The dialed calls list is displayed.

Note

- You can only view the redial list from the landline.

Redial a call

1 Press **[Redial]**.
2 Select the record you want to call. Press .
↳ The number is dialed out.

Save a redial record to the phonebook

1 Press **[Redial]** to enter the list of dialed calls.
2 Select a record, then press **[Option]** to confirm.
3 Select **[Save number]**, then press **[OK]** to confirm.
4 Enter and edit the name, then press **[OK]** to confirm.
5 Enter and edit the number, then press **[Save]** to confirm.
↳ The record is saved.

Delete a redial record

1 Press **[Redial]** to enter the list of dialed calls.
2 Select a record, then press **[Option]** to confirm.
3 Select **[Delete]**, then press **[OK]** to confirm.
↳ The handset displays a confirmation request.
4 Press **[OK]** to confirm.
↳ The record is deleted.

Delete all redial records

1 Press **[Redial]** to enter the list of dialed calls.
2 Select **[Option]** > **[Delete all]**, then press **[OK]** to confirm.
↳ The handset displays a confirmation request.
3 Press **[OK]** to confirm.
↳ All records are deleted.

13 Phone settings

You can customize the settings to make it your own phone.

Sound settings

Set the handset's ringtone volume

You can select among 5 ringtone volume levels, **[Progressive]** or **[Off]**.

1. Select **[Menu]** > ⚙ > **[Sounds]** > **[Ring volume]**, then press **[OK]** to confirm.
2. Select a volume level, then press **[OK]** to confirm.
   ↳ The setting is saved.

Set the handset's ringtone

You can select from 15 ringtones.

1. Select **[Menu]** > ⚙ > **[Sounds]** > **[Ring Tone]**, then press **[OK]** to confirm.
2. Select the landline phone or a mobile phone.
3. Select a ringtone, then press **[OK]** to confirm.
   ↳ The setting is saved.

Silent mode

You can set your phone to silent mode and enable it for a specific duration when you do not want to be disturbed. When the silent mode is turned on, your phone does not ring or send any alerts or sound.

Note

- When you press •)) to find your handset, or when you activate the alarm, your phone still sends alert even when the silent mode is activated.

1. Select **[Menu]** > ⚙ > **[Silent mode]**, then press **[OK]** to confirm.
2. Select **[On]**/**[Off]**, then press **[OK]** to confirm.
   ↳ The setting is saved.
3. Select **[Start & end]**, then press **[OK]** to confirm.
4. Set the time, then press **[OK]** to confirm.
   ↳ The setting is saved.

Note

- When the silent mode is set to **[On]**, ♪ is displayed. ♪ is displayed during the preset time for the silent mode.

Exclude the contacts from silent mode

You can select the length of ring delay and set the contacts to be excluded from the phonebook. Ring delay is the number of rings that will be muted before the rings become audible on the phone.

1. Select **[Menu]** > ⚙ > **[Sounds]** > **[Silent mode]**, then press **[OK]** to confirm.
2. Select **[Exception]**.
3. Select **[On]** to activate, or **[Off]** to deactivate the silent mode, then press **[OK]** to confirm.
4. Select **[Ring delay]**, then select an option.
5. press **[OK]** to confirm.
   ↳ The setting is saved.

Note

- If **[Exception]** is set to **[On]** and **[Ring delay]** option is selected, the handset rings only after length of ring delay selected is reached.
- Make sure that the contact under the **[Set exception]** option of the phonebook menu is set to **[On]** before you can exclude this contact from the silent mode.

Set the key tone

Key tone is the sound made when you press a key on the handset.

1. Select **[Menu]** > ⚙ > **[Sounds]** > **[Key tone]**, then press **[OK]** to confirm.
2. Select **[On]**/**[Off]**, then press **[OK]** to confirm.
   ↳ The setting is saved.

Set the docking tone

Docking tone is the sound made when you place the handset on the base station or charger.

1. Select **[Menu]** > ⚙ > **[Sounds]** > **[Docking tone]**, then press **[OK]** to confirm.
2. Select **[On]**/**[Off]**, then press **[OK]** to confirm.
   ↳ The setting is saved.

Set the sound profile

You can set the sound in the earpiece or handsfree mode among 3 different profiles.

1. Select **[Menu]** > ⚙ > **[Sounds]** > **[MySound]**, then press **[OK]** to confirm.
2. Select a profile, then press **[OK]** to confirm.
   ↳ The setting is saved.

Access the sound profile during a call

Press **[Sounds]** for once or several times to change the sound profile during a call.

Alarm clock

Your phone has a built-in alarm clock. Check the information below to set your alarm clock.

Set the alarm

1. Select **[Menu]** > ⚙ > **[Alarm]**, then press **[OK]** to confirm.
2. Select **[On]**/**[Off]**, then press **[OK]** to confirm.
3. Select **[Alarm time]**, then press **[OK]** to confirm.
4. Enter an alarm time, then press **[OK]** to confirm.
5. Select **[Repetition]**, then press **[OK]** to confirm.
6. Select an alarm occurrence, then press **[OK]** to confirm.
7. Select **[Alarm tone]**, then press **[OK]**.
8. Select a tone from options, then press **[OK]** to confirm.
   ↳ The alarm is set and ⏰ is displayed on the screen.

Tip

- Press * INT to switch between **[am]**/**[pm]** (Country dependent).

Turn off the alarm

Before the alarm rings

Select **[Menu]** > ⚙ > **[Alarm]** > **[Off]**, then press **[OK]** to confirm.
↳ The setting is saved.

When the alarm rings

- Press**[Off]** to turn off the alarm.
- Press **[Snooze]**(or any key except **[Off]**) to snooze.
  ↳ The alarm rings again after 5 minutes. After you snooze it for 3 times, the snooze function is off.

Set the date and time

For further information, see chapter 'Get started', sections 'Set the date and time' and 'Set the date and time format'.

ECO mode

The **ECO** mode reduces the transmission power of the handset and base station when you are on a call or when the phone is in standby mode.

1. Select **[Menu]** > ⚙ > **[Eco mode]**, then press **[OK]** to confirm.
2. Select **[On]**/**[Off]**, and press **[OK]** to confirm.
   ↳ The setting is saved.
   ↳ **ECO** is displayed in standby mode.

Note

- When **ECO** is set to **[On]**, the connection range between the handset and the base station can be reduced.

Name the handset

The name of the handset can be up to 32 characters. It is displayed on the handset screen in standby mode.

1. Select **[Menu]** > ⚙ > **[Phone name]**, then press **[OK]** to confirm.
2. Enter or edit the name. To erase a character, select **[Clear]**.
3. Press **[Save]** to confirm.
   ↳ The setting is saved.

Set the display language

Note

- This feature only applies to models with multiple-language support.
- Languages available vary from country to country.

1. Select **[Menu]** > ⚙ > **[Language]**, then press **[OK]** to confirm.
2. Select a language, then press **[OK]** to confirm.
   ↳ The setting is saved.

Display settings

You can change the display of the phone during standby mode.

Set the brightness

You can set the brightness of the handset screen to different levels.

Select **[Menu]** > ⚙ > **[Display]**, then press **[OK]** to confirm.

1. Select **[Brightness]**, then press **[OK]** to confirm.
2. Select an option, then press **[OK]** to confirm.

Set the clock display

You can set the clock to digital or analog display.

Select **[Menu]** > ⚙ > **[Display]**, then press **[OK]** to confirm.

1. Select **[Clock]**, then press **[OK]** to confirm.
2. Select an option, then press **[OK]** to confirm.

Set the backlight of the LCD screen

You can set the backlight of the LCD screen and keypad flashing on or off when the phone rings.

1. Select **[Menu]** > ⚙ > **[Display]** > **[Visual alert]**, then press **[OK]** to confirm.

2 Select **[Flashing on]**/**[Flashing off]**, then press **[OK]** to confirm.
↳ The setting is saved.

Line settings

You can select to access the landline or mobile line.

1 Select **[Menu]** > **[Line settings]**, then press **[OK]** to confirm.

2 Select a new setting, then press **[OK]** to confirm.
↳ The setting is saved.

Tip

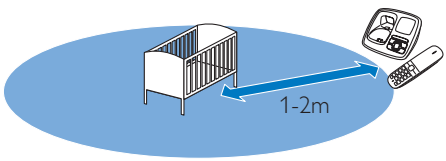
- If you select **[Auto]** on the handset, the idle line is pre-selected for an outgoing call, with **[Home]** as the highest priority. Then **[Mobile 1]** and **[Mobile 2]**. If you select **[Manual]**, select an icon among these three options.

14 Baby monitor

Your phone supports the baby monitor function which sends an alert if the sound level exceeds the set limit.

Caution

- Make sure that you do not leave the handset that has the active monitor in the baby room.
- Make sure the baby unit and the cord are always out of reach of the baby.
- Place the baby unit at least 1 meter/3 feet but not more than 2 meters/6 feet away from the baby.



Activate/Deactivate the baby unit

Select **[Menu]** > > **[Activate]**, then press **[OK]** to confirm.

↳ The baby unit is activated.

Tip

- If you have not set the parent unit, a notification message appears. Then you are asked to select to where you send the alert: external lines or other handset number. For information, see the next section.
- To exit from the baby monitor menu, press **[Off]**.

Note

- When the baby monitor mode is activated, the baby handset does not ring on incoming calls.

Send an alert

You can send an alert to other handsets within the home or an external line. External line can be a cell phone or another fixed line outside the house.

Note

- Make sure that any prefix digits and/or country code are included when you send an alert.

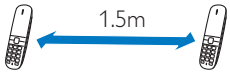
Send to other handsets

1 Select **[Menu]** > > **[Send alert to]** > **[Connected line]**, then press **[OK]** to confirm.

2 Select the handset number, then press **[OK]** to confirm.

Note

- Make sure that the distance between the baby unit and the parent unit is at least 1.5 meter away from each other to prevent the howling effect.



Send to an external line

1 Select **[Menu]** > > **[Send alert to]** > **[External line]**, then press **[OK]** to confirm.

2 Enter a telephone number, then press **[Save]** to confirm.

Note

- You can still send an alert to the external line even though it is in the barred list (see 'Add new number to the barred list' on page 39).

Send to a contact from the phonebook

1 Select **[Menu]** > > **[Send alert to]** > **[Select number]**, then press **[OK]** to confirm.

2 Select a contact from the phonebook, then press **[Save]** to confirm.

Set the baby cry level

1 Select **[Menu]** > > **[Baby cry level]**, then press **[OK]** to confirm.

2 Select a new setting, then press **[OK]** to confirm.
↳ The setting is saved.

15 Telephone answering machine

Your phone includes a telephone answering machine that records unanswered calls when it is on. By default, the answering machine is set to the **[Answer & rec.]** mode. You can also access the answering machine remotely and change the settings through the answering machine menu on the handset.

Turn the answering machine on or off

1. Select **[Menu]** > > **[Answer mode]**, then press **[OK]** to confirm.
2. Select **[Answer only]**/**[Answer & rec.]**/**[Off]**, then press **[OK]** to confirm.
   ↳ The setting is saved.

Set the answering machine language

Note

- This feature only applies to models with multiple-language support.

The answering machine language is the language for the announcements.

1. Select **[Menu]** > > **[Voice language]**, then press **[OK]** to confirm.
2. Select a language, then press **[OK]** to confirm.
   ↳ The setting is saved.

Set the answer mode

You can set the answering machine and select if the callers can leave messages. Select **[Answer & rec.]** if you allow the callers to leave messages. Select **[Answer only]** if you forbid the callers to leave messages.

1. Select **[Menu]** > > **[Answer mode]**, then press **[OK]** to confirm.
2. Select an answer mode, then press **[OK]** to confirm.
   ↳ The setting is saved.

Note

- If the memory is full, the answering machine switches to **[Answer only]** mode automatically.

Announcements

The announcement is the message your caller hears when the answering machine picks up the call. The answering machine has 2 default announcements: the **[Answer & rec.]** mode and **[Answer only]** mode.

Record an announcement

The maximum length of the announcement you can record is 3 minutes. The newly recorded announcement automatically replaces the old one.

1. Select **[Menu]** > > **[Announcement]**, then press **[OK]** to confirm.
2. Select **[Answer & rec.]** or **[Answer only]**, then press **[OK]** to confirm.
3. Select **[Record new]**, then press **[OK]** to confirm.
4. Recording starts after the beep.
5. Press **[OK]** to stop recording or the recording stops after 3 minutes.

↳ You can listen to the newly recorded announcement on the handset.

Note

- Make sure that you speak close to the microphone when you record an announcement.

Listen to the announcement

1. Select **[Menu]** > ⏺ > **[Announcement]**, then press **[OK]** to confirm.
2. Select **[Answer & rec.]** or **[Answer only]**, then press **[OK]** to confirm.
3. Select **[Play]**, then press **[OK]** to confirm.
   ↳ You can listen to the current announcement.

Note

- You can no longer listen to the announcement when you pick up an incoming call.

Restore the default announcement

1. Select **[Menu]** > ⏺ > **[Announcement]**, then press **[OK]** to confirm.
2. Select **[Answer & rec.]** or **[Answer only]**, then press **[OK]** to confirm.
3. Select **[Use default]**, then press **[OK]** to confirm.
   ↳ The handset displays a confirmation request.
4. Press **[OK]** to confirm.
   ↳ The default announcement is restored.

Incoming messages (ICM)

Each message can be up to 3 minutes long. When you receive new messages, the new message indicator flashes on the answering machine and the handset displays a notification message.

Note

- If you pick up the phone when the caller leaves a message, the recording stops and you can talk to the caller directly.

Note

- If the memory is full, the answering machine switches to **[Answer only]** automatically. Delete old messages to receive new ones.

Listen to the incoming messages

You can listen to the incoming messages in the sequence they are recorded.
Select **[Menu]** > ⏺ > **[Play]**, then press **[OK]** to confirm.
↳ New messages start playing. Old messages start playing if there is no new message.

- Press **[Back]** to stop listening.
- Press **[Option]** to enter the options menu.
- Press ▲ / ▼ to increase/decrease the volume.

Delete an incoming message

1. When you listen to the message, press **[Option]** to enter the options menu.
2. Select **[Delete]**, then press **[OK]** to confirm.
   ↳ The current message is deleted.

Delete all old incoming messages

1. Select **[Menu]** > ⏺ > **[Delete all]**, then press **[OK]** to confirm.
   ↳ The handset displays a confirmation request.
2. Press **[OK]** to confirm.

↳ All old messages are permanently deleted.

Note

- You can only delete the read messages. No deleted messages can be recovered.

Call screening

You can hear the caller while he is leaving a message. Press R to answer the call.

Set the sound quality of the message

You can adjust the sound quality of the messages received from the answering machine.

1. Select **[Menu]** > ⏺ > **[Msg quality]**, then press **[OK]** to confirm.
2. Select the new setting, then press **[OK]** to confirm.
   ↳ The setting is saved.

Note

- The sound quality can only be adjusted before recording starts.

Set the ring delay

You can set the number of times the phone rings before the call goes to the answering machine..

1. Select **[Menu]** > ⏺ > **[Ring delay]**, then press **[OK]** to confirm.
2. Select a new setting, then press **[OK]** to confirm.
   ↳ The setting is saved.

Note

- Make sure that the answering machine is switched on before this feature can be applied.

Tip

- When you access the answering machine remotely, you are recommended to set the ring delay to **[Toll saver]** mode. This is a cost effective way to manage your messages. When there are new messages, the answering machine picks up the call after 3 rings; When there is no messages, it picks up the call after 5 rings.

Remote access

You can operate your answering machine when you are away from home. Simply make a call to your phone with a touch tone phone and enter your 4-digit PIN/passcode.

Note

- The remote access PIN/passcode is the same as your system PIN/passcode. The preset PIN/passcode is 0000.

Change the PIN/passcode

1. Select **[Menu]** > ⏺ > **[Remote access]** > **[Change PIN]**, then press **[OK]** to confirm.
2. Enter the old PIN/passcode, then press **[OK]** to confirm.
3. Enter the new PIN/passcode, then press **[OK]** to confirm.
4. Enter the new PIN/passcode again, then press **[OK]** to confirm.
   ↳ The setting is saved.

Activate/deactivate the remote access

You can allow or block remote access to the answering machine.

1. Select **[Menu]** > ⏺ > **[Remote access]**, then press **[OK]** to confirm.
2. Select **[Activate]** / **[Deactivate]**, then press **[OK]** to confirm.
   ↳ The setting is saved.

Access the answering machine remotely

1. Make a call to your home number with a touch tone phone.
2. Enter # when you hear the announcement.
3. Enter your PIN/passcode.

↳ You now have access to your answering machine, and you can listen to the new messages.

Note

- You have 2 chances to enter the correct PIN/passcode before your phone hangs up.

4 Press a key to carry out a function. See the Remote access commands table below for a list of available functions.

Note

- When there is no message, the phone hangs up automatically if no key is pressed for 8 seconds.

Remote access commands

Key	Function
1	Repeat the current or listen to the previous message.
2	Listen to messages.
3	Skip to the next message.
6	Delete the current message.
7	Switch the answering machine on. (not available when you listen to the messages).
8	Stop listening to the message.
9	Switch the answering machine off. (not available when you listen to the messages).

16 Services

The phone supports a number of features that help you handle and manage the calls.

Auto conference

To join an external call with another handset, press .

Activate/Deactivate auto conference

1. Select **[Menu]** > > **[Conference]**, then press **[OK]** to confirm.
2. Select **[Auto]**/**[Off]**, then press **[OK]** to confirm.
   ↳ The setting is saved.

Call barring

You can create four sets of numbers with four digits at maximum for each set of numbers. When you make a call that starts with one of these four sets of numbers, the outgoing call is then barred.

Select the barring mode

1. Select **[Menu]** > > **[Call barring]** > **[Barring mode]** then press **[OK]** to confirm.
2. Enter the PIN/passcode. The default PIN/passcode is 0000.
3. Select **[On]**/**[Off]**, then press **[OK]** to confirm.
   ↳ The setting is saved.

Add new number to the barred list

1. Select **[Menu]** > > **[Call barring]** > **[Barring number]**, then press **[OK]** to confirm.
2. Enter the PIN/passcode. The default PIN is 0000.
3. Select a number from the list, then press **[OK]** to confirm.
4. Edit the number, then press **[OK]** to confirm.
   ↳ The setting is saved.

Note

- The number in the barred list can still be sent as an external line for a baby call.

Change the PIN/passcode

1. Select **[Menu]** > > **[Call barring]** > **[Change PIN]**, then press **[OK]** to confirm.
2. Enter the old PIN/passcode, then press **[OK]** to confirm.
3. Enter the new PIN/passcode, then press **[OK]** to confirm.
4. Enter the new PIN/passcode again, then press **[OK]** to confirm.
   ↳ The setting is saved.

Note

- If you forget the PIN/passcode, you have to reset your phone (see 'Restore default settings' on page 43).

Call list type

You can set if you can see all calls or missed calls from the call log.

Select the call list type

1 Select **[Menu]** > ☰ > **[Call list type]**, then press **[OK]** to confirm.
2 Select an option, then press **[OK]** to confirm.

Auto prefix

This feature checks and formats your outgoing call number before it is dialed out. The prefix number can replace the detect number you set in the menu. For example, you set 604 as the detect number and 1250 as the prefix. When you have dialed out a number such as 6043338888, your phone changes the number to 12503338888 when it dials out.

Note

- The maximum length of a detect number is 5 digits. The maximum length of an auto prefix number is 10 digits.

Set auto prefix

1 Select **[Menu]** > ☰ > **[Auto prefix]**, then press **[OK]** to confirm.
2 Enter the detect number, then press **[OK]** to confirm.
3 Enter the prefix number, then press **[OK]** to confirm.
↳ The setting is saved.

Note

- This is a country dependent feature.
- To enter a pause, press and hold #/A.
- If the prefix number is set and the detect number is left empty, the prefix number is added to all outgoing calls.
- The feature is unavailable if the dialed number starts with * and #.

Network type

Note

- This is a country dependent feature. It only applies to models with network type support.

1 Select **[Menu]** > ☰ > **[Network type]**, then press **[OK]**.
2 Select a network type, then press **[OK]**.
↳ The setting is saved.

Select the recall duration

Make sure that the recall time is set correctly before you can answer a second call. In normal case, the phone is already preset for the recall duration. You can select among 3 options: **[Short]**, **[Medium]** and **[Long]**. The number of available options varies with different countries. For details, consult your service provider.

1 Select **[Menu]** > ☰ > **[Recall time]**, then press **[OK]** to confirm.
2 Select an option, then press **[OK]** to confirm.
↳ The setting is saved.

Dial mode

Note

- This feature is country dependent and only applies to models that support both tone and pulse dial.

Dial mode is the telephone signal used in your country. The phone supports tone (DTMF) and pulse (rotary) dial. Consult the service provider for detailed information.

1 Select **[Menu]** > ☰ > **[Dial mode]**, then press **[OK]** to confirm.
2 Select an option, then press **[OK]** to confirm.

↳ The setting is saved.

First ring

If you have subscribed to the caller ID service with your service provider, your phone can cancel the first ring before the caller ID is displayed on the screen. After the phone is reset, it can detect automatically if there is a caller subscription and start to cancel the first ring. You can change this setting to suit your preference. This feature only applies to models with first ring support.

Turn the first ring on/off

1 Select **[Menu]** > ☰ > **[First ring]**, then press **[OK]** to confirm.
2 Select **[On]**/**[Off]**, press **[OK]** to confirm.
↳ The setting is saved.

Note

- To reset the first ring status, go to the reset menu (see 'Restore default settings' on page 43).

Auto clock

Note

- This service is network dependent.
- Make sure you have subscribed to the caller ID service before you use this feature.

It synchronizes the date and time on your phone with the public switched telephone network (PSTN) automatically. For the date to be synchronized, make sure the current year is set.

1 Select **[Menu]** > ☰ > **[Auto clock]**, then press **[OK]** to confirm.
2 Select **[On]**/**[Off]** . Press **[OK]**.
↳ The setting is saved. .

Register additional handsets

You can register additional handsets to the base station. The base station can register up to 5 handsets.

Auto registration

Extra handsets of the same model can be auto-registered. Place the unregistered handset on the base station.

↳ The handset detects the base station and registers automatically.
↳ Registration is complete in less than two minutes. The base station automatically assigns a handset number to the handset.

Manual registration/Pairing

If auto registration fails or if you register a handset of a different model, register your handset manually to the base station.

1 Select **[Menu]** > ☰ > **[Register]**, then press **[OK]** to confirm.
2 Press and hold •)) on the base station for 5 seconds.

Note

- For models with an answering machine, you hear a confirmation beep.

3 Enter the system PIN/passcode. Press **[Clear]** to make corrections.
4 Press **[OK]** to confirm the PIN/passcode.
↳ Registration is complete in less than 2 minutes. The base automatically assigns a handset number to the handset.

Note

- If the PIN/passcode is incorrect or no base is found within a certain period, your handset displays a notification message. Repeat the above procedure if registration fails.
- The preset PIN/passcode is 0000. No change can be made on it.

Unregister handsets

1 If two handsets share the same base station, you can unregister a handset with another handset.

2 Select **[Menu]** > ☰ > **[Unregister]**, then press **[OK]** to confirm.

3 Select the handset number to be unregistered.

4 Press **[OK]** to confirm.
↳ The handset is unregistered.

Tip

- The handset number displays beside the handset name in standby mode.

Call services

The call services are network and country dependent. They apply to models with call services support. Contact your service provider for more information.

Note

- For the call services to work properly, make sure that the activation and/or deactivation codes are correctly entered.

Call forward

You can divert your calls to another phone number. You can select among 3 options:

- **[Call forward]**: divert all incoming calls to another number.
- **[Call fwd busy]**: divert calls when the line is busy.
- **[Call fwd unans]**: divert calls when no one answers.

Activate/Deactivate call forward

1 Select **[Menu]** > ☰ > **[Call Services]** > **[Call forward]/[Call fwd busy]/[Call fwd unans]**

2 Select **[Activate]/[Deactivate]**, then press **[OK]** to confirm.

3 Enter the telephone number.
↳ The setting is saved .

Edit the activation/deactivation code

You can edit the prefix and suffix to the call forward codes.

1 Select **[Menu]** > ☰ > **[Call Services]** > **[Call forward]/[Call fwd busy]/[Call fwd unans]**, then press **[OK]** to confirm.

2 Select **[Change code]**, then press **[OK]**.

3 Then you can either
- Select **[Activation]** > **[Prefix]/[Suffix]**, then press **[OK]** to confirm; or
- Select **[Deactivation]**, then press **[OK]** to confirm.

4 Enter or edit the code, then press **[OK]** to confirm.
↳ The setting is saved.

Call return

You can check the most recent unanswered call.

Call the return service centre

Select **[Menu]** > ☰ > **[Call Services]** > **[Call return]** > **[Call]**, then press **[OK]** to confirm.
↳ Your call is made to the service center.

Edit the call return service centre number

1 Select [Menu] > ☰ > [Call Services] > [Call return] > [Settings], then press [OK] to confirm.

2 Enter or edit the number, then press [OK] to confirm.
↳ The setting is saved.

Call back service

The call back service notifies you when a party you have tried to call becomes available. You can cancel this service from the menu after you have activated it from the service provider.

Cancel the call back service

Select [Menu] > ☰ > [Call Services] > [Cancel call bk] > [Call], then press [OK] to confirm.
↳ A call is made to the service centre to cancel the call back option.

Edit the cancel call back service number

1 Select [Menu] > ☰ > [Call Services] > [Cancel call bk] > [Settings], then press [OK] to confirm.

2 Enter or edit the number, then press [OK] to confirm.
↳ The setting is saved.

Hide your identity

You can hide your identity from the caller.

Activate ID withheld

Select [Menu] > ☰ > [Call Services] > [Hide my ID] > [Activate], then press [OK] to confirm.
↳ When you make a call to your contact, your ID is withheld.

Edit the ID withheld code

1 Select [Menu] > ☰ > [Call Services] > [Hide my ID] > [Settings], then press [OK] to confirm.

2 Enter or edit the number, then press [OK] to confirm.
↳ The setting is saved.

Restore default settings

You can reset your phone settings to the original factory settings.

1 Select [Menu] > ☰ > [Reset], then press [OK] to confirm.
↳ The handset displays a confirmation request.

2 Press [OK] to confirm.
↳ All settings are reset.

17 Technical data

General specification and features

- Maximum talk time: 20 hours
- Maximum standby time: 250 hours
- Range indoor: 50 meters
- Range outdoor: 300 meters
- Bluetooth range indoor: 10 meters
- Phonebook list with 500 entries
- Redial list with 20 entries
- Call log with 50 entries
- Answering machine with up to 45 minutes recording time
- Caller identification standard support: FSK, DTMF

Connectivity

Bluetooth: link up to two devices for voice link and phonebook download

Battery

- Philips: 2 x AAA Ni-MH 1.2V 600 mAh rechargeable batteries

Power adapter

Base and charger

- Philips, SSW-2095UK-1, input: 100-240Vac, 50-60Hz 0.2A, output: 5V 600mA

Power consumption

- Power consumption at standby mode: around 0.65W

Note

- It only applies when the screen saver is turned off (see 'Display settings' on page 31).

Weight and dimensions

- Handset: 130 grams
- 161 x 47.5 x 26.5 mm (H x W x D)
- Base: 135 grams
- 138 x 103 x 56 mm (H x W x D)
- Charger: 42.7 grams
- 106.4 x 80.2 x 55.3 mm (H x W x D)

18 Notice

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20 Frequently asked questions

No signal bar is displayed on the screen.

- The handset is out of range. Move it closer to the base station.
- If the handset displays **[Register your Handset]**, put the handset on the base until the signal bar appears.

Tip

- For further information, see 'Register additional handsets' on the Services section.

My handset is in searching status, what do I do?

- Make sure that the base station has power supply.
- Register the handset to the base station.
- Move the handset closer to the base station.

If I fail to pair (register) the additional handsets to the base station, what do I do?

Your base memory is full. Unregister the unused handsets and try again.

No dialing tone

- Check your phone connections.
- The handset is out of range. Move it closer to the base station.

No docking tone

- The handset is not placed properly on the base station/charger.
- The charging contacts are dirty. Disconnect the power supply first and clean the contacts with a damp cloth.

I cannot change the settings of my voice mail, what do I do?

The voice mail service is managed by your service provider but not the phone itself. Contact your service provider to change the settings.

The handset on the charger does not charge.

- Make sure the batteries are inserted correctly.
- Make sure the handset is placed properly on the charger. The battery icon animates when charging.
- Make sure the docking tone setting is turned on. When the handset is placed correctly on the charger, you can hear a docking tone.
- The charging contacts are dirty. Disconnect the power supply first and clean the contacts with a damp cloth.
- Batteries are defective. Purchase new ones with the same specifications.

No display

- Make sure the batteries are charged.
- Make sure there is power and the phone is connected.

Bad audio (crackles, echo, etc.)

- The handset is nearly out of range. Move it closer to the base station.
- The phone receives interference from the nearby electrical appliances. Move the base station away from them.
- The phone is at a location with thick walls. Move the base away from them.

The handset does not ring.

Make sure the handset ringtone is turned on.

The caller ID does not display.

- The service is not activated. Check with your service provider.
- The caller's information is withheld or unavailable.

Note

- If the above solutions do not help, disconnect the power supply from both the handset and base station. Try again after 1 minute.

21 Appendix

Text and number input tables

Key	Upper case characters (for English/ French/ German/ Italian/Turkish/ Portuguese/Spanish/Dutch/Danish/ Finnish/Norwegian/ Swedish/Romanian/ Polish/Czech/Hungarian/Slovakian/ Slovenian/Croatian/Lithuanian/Estonian/ Latvian/Bulgarian)
0	Space . 0 , / : ; " ' ! ¡ ? ¿ * + - % \ ^ ~ |
1	1 @ _ # = < > ( ) & € £ $ ¥ [ ] { } ¤ § ...
2	A B C 2 À Â Æ Á Ã Ä Å Ą Ā Ç Č
3	D E F 3 È É Ê Ë Ė Ę Ē Δ Φ
4	G H I 4 Ğ Í Ï Į Ī Ì Γ
5	J K L 5 Λ
6	M N O 6 Ñ Ó Ô Õ Ö
7	P Q R S 7 Ş Š Π Θ Σ
8	T U V 8 Ù Ú Ü Ū Ų
9	W X Y Z 9 Ø Ω Ξ Ψ Ž

Key	Lower case characters (for English/ French/ German/ Italian/Turkish/ Portuguese/Spanish/Dutch/Danish/ Finnish/Norwegian/Swedish)
0	Space . 0 , / : ; " ' ! ¡ ? ¿ * + - % \ ^ ~ |
1	1 @ _ # = < > ( ) & € £ $ ¥ [ ] { } ¤ § ...
2	a b c 2 à â æ á ã ä å ą ā ç č
3	d e f 3 è é ê ë ė ę ē Δ Φ
4	g h i 4 ğ í ì ï į ī ı Γ
5	j k l 5 Λ
6	m n o 6 ñ ó ô õ ö ò
7	p q r s 7 β ş š Π Θ Σ
8	t u v 8 ù ú ü ū ų µ
9	w x y z 9 ø Ω Ξ Ψ ž

Key	Upper case characters (for Greek)
0	Space . 0 , / : ; " ' ! ¡ ? ¿ * + - % \ ^ ~ |
1	1 @ _ # = < > ( ) & € £ $ ¥ [ ] { } ¤ § ...
2	A B Γ 2 A B C Æ Ä Å Ç
3	Δ E Z 3 D E F É
4	H Θ I 4 G H I
5	K Λ M 5 J K L
6	N Ξ O 6 M N O Ñ Ö
7	Π P Σ 7 P Q R S
8	T Y Φ 8 T U V Ü
9	X Ψ Ω 9 W X Y Z Ø

Key	Lower case characters (for Greek)
0	Space . 0 , / : ; " ' ! ¡ ? ¿ * + - % \ ^ ~ |
1	1 @ _ # = < > ( ) & € £ $ ¥ [ ] { } ¤ § ...
2	α β γ 2 a b c à æ ä å
3	δ ε ζ 3 d e f è é
4	η θ ι 4 g h i ì
5	κ λ μ 5 j k l Λ
6	ν ξ ο 6 m n o ñ ö ò
7	π ρ σ ς 7 p q r s ß
8	τ υ φ 8 t u v ù ü
9	χ ψ ω 9 w x y z ø

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